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Sir:

In order to fulfill the requirements of candor and good faith set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.56, Applicants submit herewith the following Information Disclosure Statement in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.97 and §1.98.

# FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

COUNTRY	PUBLICATION NO.	PUBLICATION DATE		
WIPO	WO 01/68490	September 20, 2001		
Germany	DE 296 18 418 U1	January 16, 1997		
Germany	DE 26 42 490 B1	July 7, 1977		

Copies of the references set forth above have been enclosed herewith for the convenience of the Examiner and a separate listing of the same has been set forth on Form PTO-1449 also enclosed herewith.

The relevance of DE 296 18 418 U1 is stated in the specification of the present application at paragraphs [0002] and [0003]. The relevance of WO 01/68490 is stated in the specification of the present application at paragraph [0004]. The relevance of DE 26 42 490 B1 is stated in the specification of the present application at paragraphs [0005].

In view of the present submission, it is believed that the present application is in all respects complete and in condition for examination and favorable consideration which is earnestly solicited.

If the Examiner has any questions or comments relating to the present application, he or she is respectfully invited to contact Applicants' attorney at the telephone number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,

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